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E.C. 12068: N/A
TAGS: SREF, EA10, WFP
SUBJECT: PL 480 TITLE II - AFGHAN REFUGEES IN PAKISTAN

REF: STATE 277194

RE QUESTIONS RAISED REFTEL, WFP HAS SUPPLIED FOLLOWING
INFO:

1. DISCREPANCY IN NUMBERS PARA 1 REFTEL DUE TO
TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR. KNOWN DISTRIBUTION FOR SITREP 13
SHOULD READ 273,988 MT WHEAT AND NOT 237,988.
2. WHEAT DEFICIT TIL END 1981 IS 48,000 MT. WFP HOPES
TO COVER THIS WITH AUSTRALIAN GRANT (10,000 MT), FRENCH
GRANT (4,000 MT) AND LATEST US GRANT MENTIONED DURING
CFA/12 (60,000 MT).
3. OIL DEFICIT TIL END 1981 IS 620 MT. UK HAS RECENTLY

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MADE GRANT OF POUNDS STERLING 500,000 TO UNHCR WHICH

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COULD BE USED TO PURCHASE OIL.

4. SITREP 13 ADDITIONAL WHEAT PLEDGES OF 28,294 MT ARE FROM FRG (24,000 MT) AND REMAINDER FROM UK. ALL UNDER IEFR.

5. RE BILATERAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO GOP (E.G. FROM CANADA), WFP DOES TAKE THEM INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN CALCULATING REFUGEE REQUIREMENTS AS LONG AS SUCH BILATERALS ARE SPECIFICALLY GRANTED FOR REFUGEES. SABB

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